

**SUPPRESSED**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION

**FILED**

MAY 17 2017

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**LA'RON M. CLOWER,**  
a/k/a "Lao,"

**Defendants.**

U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MO  
ST. LOUIS

**4:17CR216 RLW/NAB**

**INDICTMENT**

**COUNT I**

The Grand Jury charges that:

Between on or about July 2016 and on or about November 2016, within the Eastern District of Missouri, the defendant,  
**LA'RON M. CLOWER, a/k/a "Lao",**  
did knowingly, in or affecting interstate commerce, recruit, entice, harbor, transport, provide, obtain or maintain by any means a person, "Jane Doe," knowing or in reckless disregard of the fact that "Jane Doe" had not yet attained the age of 18 years, and would be caused to engage in a commercial sex act.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1591(a)(1).

A TRUE BILL.

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